

Physical Security Controls

Library of Congress Protection Prioritization Matrix

(by cycle and tiers of risk)

| Physical Security Controls In-Storage Cycle | Platinum (Treasures) | Gold (rare items having prohibitively high replacement cost, high market value, and significant cultural or historical importance) | Silver (items requiring special handling, such as computer software, videos, or compact discs) | Bronze (items served in reading rooms without special restrictions and items eligible for loan without stringent restrictions) | Copper (items the Library does not intend to archive; some are evaluated for use in the exchange and gift program) |
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| | | Risk Continuum | | | → |
| Intrusion detection, level 3 | | | | | |
| Intrusion detection, level 2 | | | | | |
| Intrusion detection, level 1 | | | | | |
| Closed-circuit video, level 3 | | | | | |
| Closed-circuit video, level 2 | | | | | |
| Closed-circuit video, level 1 | | | | | |
| Storage, level 5 | | | | | |
| Storage, level 4 | | | | | |
| Storage, level 3 | | | | | |
| Storage, level 2 | | | | | |
| Key control, level 3 | | | | | |
| Key control, level 2 | | | | | |
| Key control, level 1 | | | | | |
| lock, level 2 | | | | | |
| lock, level 1 | | | | | |
| Electronic access control | | | | | |
| Identification badges | | | | | |
| Stack pass | | | | | |
| Random patrols | | | | | |
| Exit inspection | | | | | |